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Docket No. 141-446

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Kositprapa et al.)
) Group Art Unit: 1615
Serial No.: 10/777,542)
) Examiner: ---
Filing Date: February 12, 2004)

**Title: Novel Pharmaceutical Formulation Containing
a Biguanide and a Thiazolidinedione Derivative**

New York, NY 10036
May 18, 2006

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

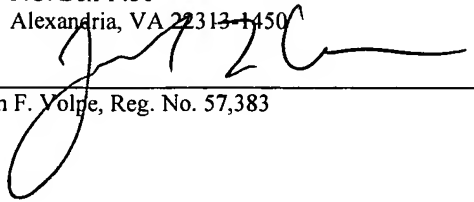
Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

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